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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

(See Summary)

TAKHTA-BAZAR, MARYYSKAYA OBLAST, USSR
TURKESTAN MD

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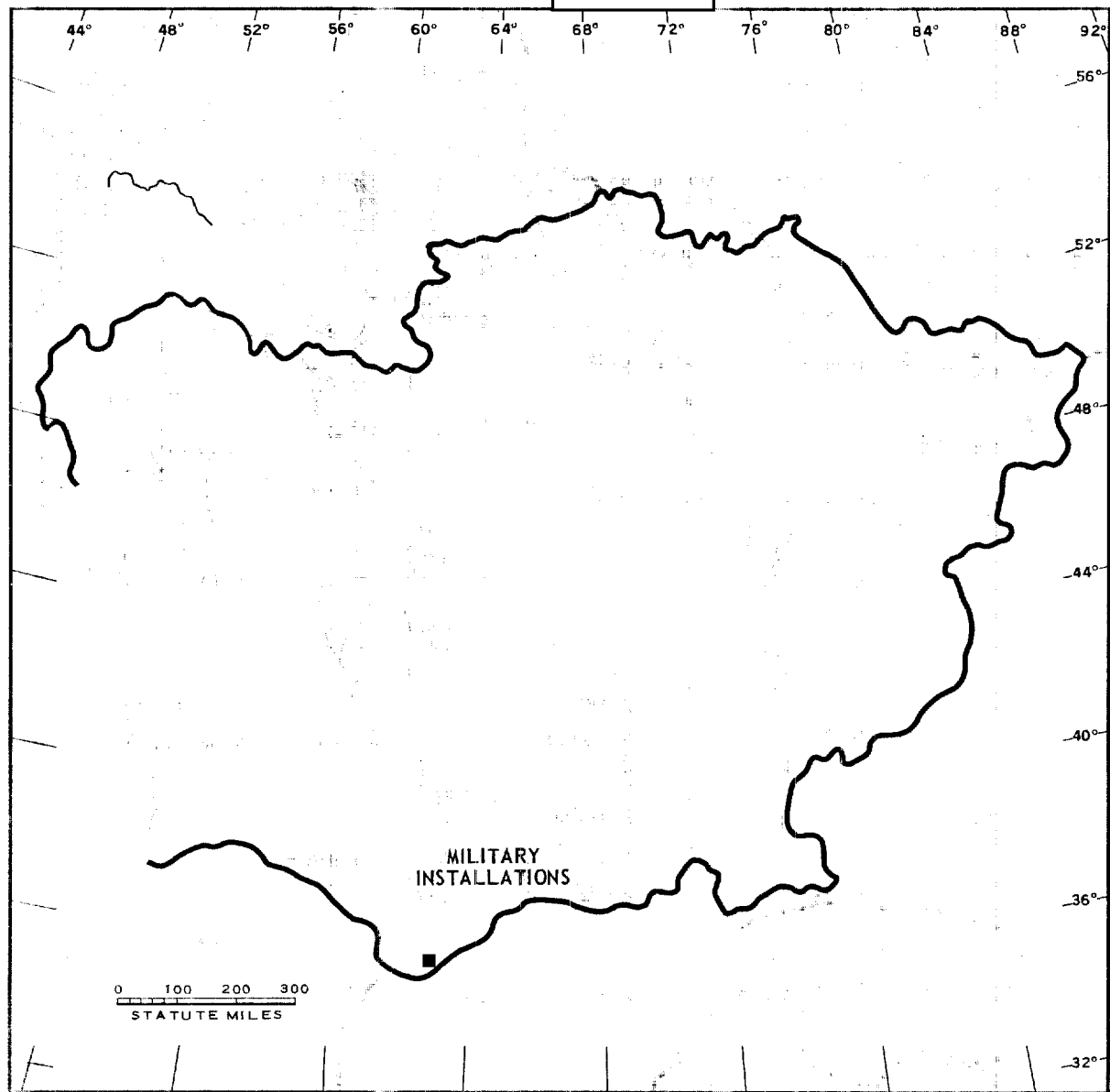


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.

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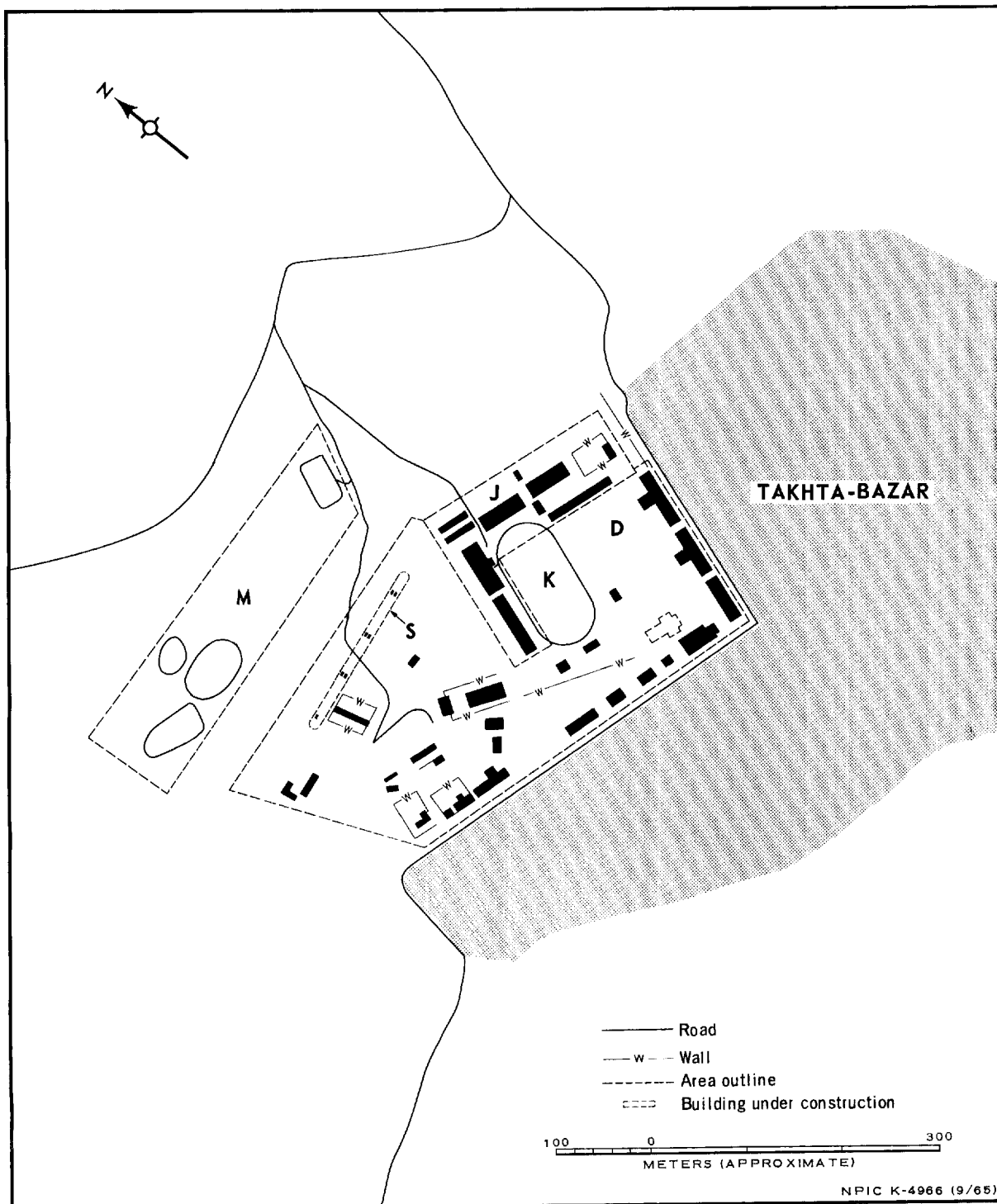


FIGURE 2. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS. Sketch compiled from

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SUMMARY

Two military installations are located in Takhta-Bazar (Figure 1). Installation A, located on the northern edge of the town, is probably Takhta-Bazar Army Barracks [] at 35-57N 062-55E. Installation B, located on the southern edge of the town, is probably related to air defense.

Installation A covers approximately 30 acres and contains 3 large probable barracks, 5 barracks/quarters, 1 building under construction, 26 storage/support buildings, 3 possible vehicle storage/maintenance buildings, an athletic field, a possible wheeled-vehicle driver-training area, and a probable personnel obstacle course (Figures 2 and 4).

Installation B covers approximately 40

acres and contains 7 probable barracks, 1 barracks/administration building, 5 possible quarters, 1 possible mess facility, 24 storage/support buildings, 2 possible storage/support buildings, and 1 possible vehicle storage/maintenance building (Figures 3 and 4). Numerous trenches are located south and southwest. A large radar installation located approximately 1 kilometer (km) southwest appears to be related to the installation (not shown on graphic).

The area was covered on [] KEYHOLE missions of interpretable quality photography between []. Comparative analysis reveals moderate activity at both installations throughout the period.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Road Service

Urban streets serve the installations.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D (Figure 2) contains 3 large probable barracks, 5 barracks/quarters, 1 building under construction, and 19 storage/support buildings.

Area D (Figure 3) contains 7 probable barracks (1 long U-shaped), 1 U-shaped barracks/administration building, 5 possible quarters, 1 possible mess facility, and 11 storage/support buildings.

Other Buildings

Seven storage/support buildings and 2 possible storage/support buildings are located in Installation B (Figure 3).

Numerous small sheds are located throughout both installations.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J (Figure 2) contains 3 possible vehicle storage/maintenance buildings (two 160

by 30 feet and one 225 by 30 feet) and 7 storage/support buildings.

Area J (Figure 3) contains one 270- by 30-foot L-shaped possible vehicle storage/maintenance building and 6 storage/support buildings.

Athletic Field

Area K (Figure 2) is an athletic field.

Driver-Training Area

Area M (Figure 2) is a possible wheeled-vehicle driver-training area.

Infantry or Combined-Arms Field-Training Area or Courses

Scattered trenching is located southwest of the installation (Figure 3).

Special Training Facilities

Area S (Figure 2) is a probable personnel obstacle course.

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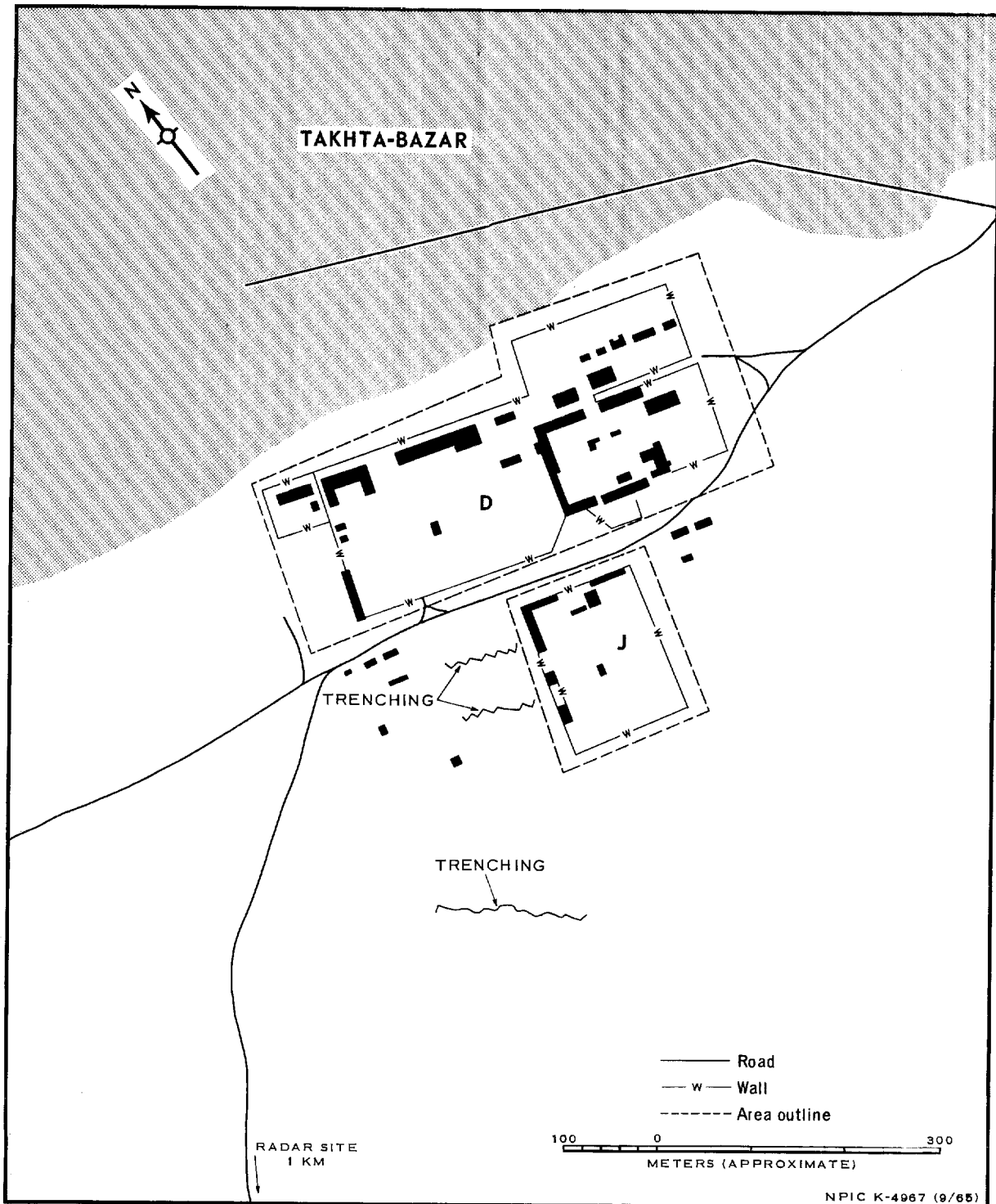


FIGURE 3. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS. Sketch compiled from

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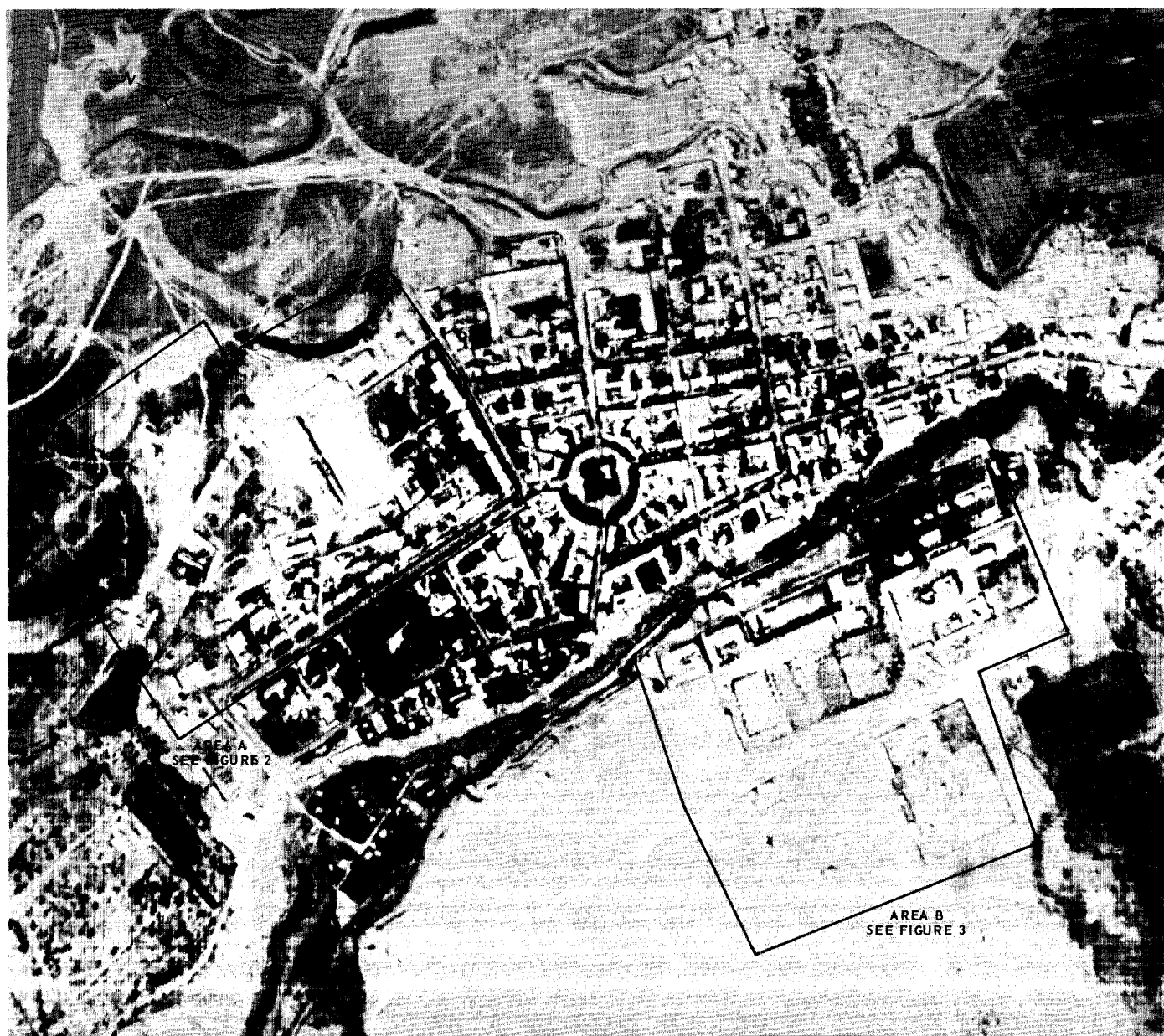


FIGURE 4. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, TAKHTA-BAZAR, USSR,

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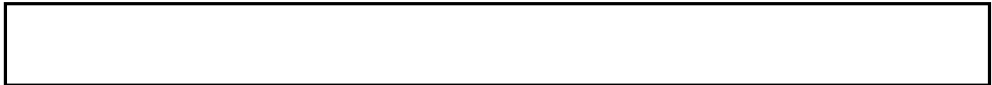
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